

FAIRMOUNT WINS BY ONE POINT

Southwest Kansas College Defeated in Debate

SEVENTH ANNUAL MEET

Large Crowd Present at the Toler Last Night

In the seventh annual intercollegiate debate between Fairmount College and the Southwestern Kansas College of Winfield, held at the Auditorium last night, Fairmount won by one point. The judges were J. D. Millikin, of McPherson; J. H. Hill, of Emporia, and T. W. Conway, of Alva, O. T. Out of sixty-three points Fairmount received thirty-two and the Southwest Kansas College thirty-one.

About 600 people attended the contest, and a more enthusiastic gathering of college people has not been seen in the history of this city. College yells were the first real indications of college spirit. The inevitable yell-out, and when the house was divided and Fairmount students, admirers and rooters were placed on one side and the Winfield College on the other, the antagonism indigenous to college life found vent. The "Erah, Erah, Erah," of the visitors was equally noticeable as the "Rah, Rah, Rah," of the Fairmounters.

At 8:20 o'clock President George F. Cook of the Southwest Kansas College of Winfield, was introduced as the presiding officer for the evening. Mr. Cook made a few opening remarks, stating that in the contests these colleges had met and that out of the six debates each of the schools had won three victories. He also stated the question to be debated and then introduced Rev. A. P. Soland, who offered a brief prayer.

By this stage each college had its leader in front of their crowds and the purpose of the Winfield college and the orange of Fairmount were hoisted high and waved about to the hearts' content of the students. The familiar old song, "Oh, Fairmount, Oh, Fairmount," etc., sung by the Winfield students was cheered and created a great deal of laughter. They sang in such a pitiful strain that it would seem to be addressing to their rivals. But Fairmount, with its varying qualities and cunning in times of emergency, got back at the visitors with an equally derisive and unmerciful anthem which would seem likewise effective in discouraging most anyone.

All kinds of noises were indulged in by the crowds of students, and numerous hisses and actions bordering close on to the disquieting style of setting differences were in order. As is usually to be heard and seen at inter-collegiate contests of whatever nature the remarks uttered by both sides of the house were many of them almost ridiculous.

President Cook announced, after calling order, that the Women's Glee club of Fairmount College, would entertain the audience with a song, which was done with success. At the close of the song the audience showed its appreciation of the club by applauding long and loudly. The club then sang an encore which was fully as worthy as the first number.

The question which was debated in an all-important one. It was "Resolved, That combinations of capital, common stock, and securities in that which are called trusts, are detrimental to the public welfare." The speakers were as follows: Fairmount, Miss Sellers, Mr. Foster and Mr. Nelson, who had the affirmative, and Winfield, Mr. Whitton, Mr. Felton and Mr. Hoff, who had the negative.

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In a calm, judicious manner. Upon closing he was presented with a large and beautiful bouquet of flowers by the Fairmount side of the house, and was applauded continuously.

After Fairmount's yell had ceased, President Cook announced the first speaker on the negative side, who was Mr. Whitton. This gentleman approached his subject matter like a Roman, and certainly demonstrated that he was not without some previous experience along the line of debates.

He frequently referred to the affirmative side in his talk, and, in the meanwhile, brought out some excellent facts and points for the negative. Although it could be plainly seen that a majority of the audience were anti-trust believers at heart, Mr. Whitton faced the situation bravely. With both sides of the stage bearing large portraits of William R. Hearst, having been placed there for the recent Democratic convention, who is such a determined trust fighter, and with the crowd believing that the trusts are really detrimental to the country, this young man stood there and presented points for the negative which had its influence and came near to gaining for Winfield the honors of the occasion.

The next debater was Miss Sellers, who did her part toward winning the honors for the affirmative side. Miss Sellers delivered her points in a style which was cheered and cheered by her side of the house. She dished out to the audience and the judges such a string of statistics and figures pertaining to the trusts that it would have required six mathematical geniuses all night to have solved them. But this was not her aim. Miss Sellers was not frustrated in the least, and in a womanly manner spoke with all the fervor and strength she could master for her side and for her college. She received the hearty plaudits of the audience at the close of her speech.

The president then introduced Mr. Felton on the negative side. Whether or not the audience was expecting it is a question to the skeptical, but Mr. Felton of Winfield deserves the credit of being one of the best orators on the program. His voice was strong and melodious. For a young man, he possesses more natural ability for public speaking than is commonly displayed at so early a stage in life.

Mr. Felton spoke plainly and brought out many good facts, and notwithstanding that he had been preceded by one speaker on the negative side who had spoken quite fully on the best points, he delivered a solid phalanx of facts that won for his side much admiration and influence among the judges. He, too, was given a large bouquet at the close of his speech. The cheering was also very encouraging to him, as it was to the first speaker on the negative. Both sides were applauded frequently.

Two speakers on each side having spoken, the audience was ready to listen to something along a little different line. President Cook then arose and stated that Miss Caroline Williams of the Southwest Kansas college would sing a solo. Miss Williams received an abundance of applause as she went onto the stage. She was greeted with the most enjoyable features of the evening and was highly appreciated by all in attendance.

Following this the third speaker for the affirmative, Mr. Nelson, was introduced. He also deserves the commendation of all and will doubtless get his just share of credit for his part in the debate. One of the most impressive points that Mr. Nelson presented, and which was shown to be unanimously accepted by the audience was his glowing tribute to President Roosevelt. He eulogized the great magistrate of his country to such an extent that the opponents were assailed in an attempt to recover lost ground in relating his argument. Regardless of the substance of his argument, the name of Roosevelt carried with it sufficient weight to influence a whole jury, were it necessary. He also was cheered many times.

The next speaker was Mr. Hoff, who did his part in the debate for the negative side and carry it through to victory. He was humorous in many of his assertions and said several very comical things which brought the audience down to laughter. As a last resort, he spoke of the beautiful homes of Wichita and made an endeavor to show that the real-estate of the common laborer who is in ordinary circumstances, were as the case of the weather. He compared the present condition in this city to ten years ago and made quite a hit on this one point. Many cheers greeted Mr. Hoff.

Five minutes were then taken up by Mr. Nelson in a rebuttal for the affirmative. His remarks were chiefly along the lines of showing up to the judges the many points his side had brought out. At times he became so enthusiastic that he could hardly bring out his sentences which added strength to his assertions.

JUDGE OVERRULES THREE MOTIONS

Objections of Defense Are Not Sustained

SECOND TRIAL ARSON CASE

Call Issued For Twenty Jurymen.

The second trial in the case of the State versus S. M. Stevens, for attempted arson, was commenced in the district court yesterday morning. The morning session was taken up with the argument of three motions offered by Adams & Adams, for the defense, but which were finally overruled by Judge Wilson. The afternoon session was taken up with the examination of the jury.

The first motion filed when the case was called was to withdraw the charge of "not guilty" which the defendant had made in the case and file a motion for abatement. The defense contended that the complaint that was filed in the case was in error and that in the complaint of the insurance companies that Stevens was charged with attempting to defraud were mentioned in one place as insurance companies and in another as corporations.

The next motion made was to quash and set aside the information and disqualify the case; also to release the defendant on the grounds of error in both the warrant and the information.

After these motions had been argued and finally overruled, the defendant filed a motion for a continuance, stating that several material witnesses for the defense were not in the city at present. Two of these witnesses, it is claimed by the defense, would testify to the fact that they saw Mr. Stevens and another man get out of the car at the corner of Main and First streets on the night of January 1, 1903. Another witness, who formerly was in the employ of Mrs. Stevens, would testify that there were only two keys to the store, and that one was carried by Mrs. Stevens and the other by one of the employees.

The argument of this last motion extended into the afternoon session, and when it was overruled by the court, the work of empanelling the jury was commenced. This examination will possibly continue through the greater part of today, and it is thought that the evidence will not be begun until Monday.

The case is one in which Mr. Stevens is charged with attempting to burn his wife's millinery establishment for the purpose of defrauding the insurance companies. The first trial took place in February, 1903, and resulted in a hung jury, there being six in favor of acquittal and six in favor of conviction. Owing to the number of regular jurymen who have been excused this term, it was necessary yesterday to issue a call for twenty names in order to fill out the regular venire. The following are the names on the new list who are to report this morning at 9 o'clock: J. G. W. Bannan, Rockford; W. E. Brooks, Park; Leonard Ayers, etc.; A. C. Richards, city; H. C. Heyer, Ohio; C. W. Gagnon, city; E. R. Barrett, city; O. S. Yazel, Lincoln; Charles Joseph, city; J. M. Dugan, Waco; J. W. Porter, Viola; J. S. Little, Erie; J. E. Whaley, city; B. C. Evans, Lincoln; Bruce Manamee, Eagle; B. Newman, Keeble; Adam Everts, Union; John Walker, Morton; John Wilcox, city.

FRIENDS AND WINFIELD.

Ball Game Will Be Played on Hess Field Today.

Today the Southwest Kansas college baseball team from Winfield will meet the Friends university baseball team on the Hess athletic field, at 3 p. m. The Southwest Kansas college team is composed of a strong bunch of players, much stronger than they were last year, and the people of Wichita know how they were then.

The Friends team will be much stronger than ever, the strongest the university has ever had. Their battery will be composed of Davis, "the marvelous twirler," and McCully. Young will hold first base, while Bill will hold second. Shortstop will be held down by McGill, who will pick them all up that come anywhere between second and third bases. Jones, who will hold third, needs no recommendation, as all Wichita knows his playing. The fields will be held by Thompson, Boone and Loomis.

W. E. Sinks, the advertising manager of Buckskin Bill's Wild West Show, is in the city with the advertising car, distributing literature giving dates for this interesting combination which will be in Wichita on the 25th of this month.

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